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## Malaise, Gordon

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**From:** Swissdorf, Kim  
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*Adoption assistance & subsidized guardianships*

Here's what happened:

Paper #187, Alternatives A1, B3, B5, C1, and D2 (looks like the only changes to Gov are B5 and D2).

Paper #189, Alternatives 1 and 5a. 5a would change kinship care payments to be the same as level one foster care under the bill.

Paper #191, Alternatives A1 and B1. Alternative A1 involves the errata (don't forget to change 48.931(3)(c)5r, too)

2 motions: #532 for the IEP extension and #530 for the confidential information exchange. They're not accessible to me yet, so I'll have the administrative staff forward them to you.

Thanks much!

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5. In addition to Alternative B1 or B2, approve the administration's recommended changes that would insert "initial" into the statutes to reflect that the initial subsidized guardianship payment would be set in accordance with the alternative chosen.

**C. Adoption Assistance Payments**

1. Approve the Governor's proposal to require an initial adoption assistance payment to be an amount that does not exceed the foster care payment, subsidized guardianship payment, or uniform foster care rate applicable to the child at the time the adoption assistance agreement is entered, based on the circumstances of the adoptive family and the needs of the child

2. Delete the Governor's proposal. As a result initial adoption assistance payments would equal the foster care payment, subsidized guardianship payment, or uniform foster care rate applicable to the child at the time the adoption assistance agreement is entered.

**D. Adoption Assistance for Private Adoptions**

1. Approve the Governor's proposal to limit adoption assistance agreements to children who are in the child welfare system.

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P 523, line 15: after "the"  
insert "initial"

Prepared by: Kim Swissdorf

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delete "and (4) (a)"



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